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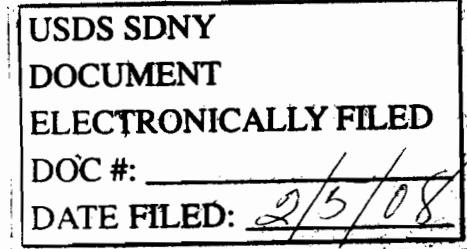
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Honorable Victor Marrero
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007



Re: United States v. Frank Tejeda
07 Cr. 502 (VM)

Dear Judge Marrero:

I write in the above-captioned case to request an adjournment of the sentencing which is currently scheduled for Friday, February 8, 2008. I am not prepared to proceed with sentencing on Friday and request an additional 45 days so that I may effectively prepare for Mr. Tejeda's sentencing and any other motions that are appropriate. I have spoken to AUSA Rua Kelly and she has informed me that she objects to an adjournment of the sentencing date.

Respectfully submitted,

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